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Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution
Department of Food and Public Distribution
(Directorate of Sugar & Vegetable Oils)

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi. Dated: 21<sup>st</sup> December, 2023

To,

CEOs/MDs of all Sugar Mills.

Subject: Compliance of Packaging of Sugar in jute packaging material as per provision of jute Packaging Material (Compulsory Use in Packing Commodities) Act, 1987.

Madam/Sir

This is in reference to this Directorate's letter of even number dated 24.04.2023, 11.08.2023 and 18.10.2023, on the subject cited above vide which all the sugar mills were advised for strict compliance of 20% of the total production of Sugar to be mandatorily packed in the jute packaging material.

- 2. Apart from the above, during the VC meeting held on 12.12.2023, the sugar mills associations i.e. ISMA and NFCSF were also directed to issue advisory to all sugar mills for strict compliance of mandatory jute packaging of 20% of the total production of Sugar.
- 3. However, no response have been received in this Directorate from any sugar mills so far.
- 4. In view of the above, all sugar mills are hereby directed to comply the directions issued by this Directorate for mandatory jute packaging of 20% of the total production of Sugar and furnish the information thereof to this Directorate through email at <a href="mailto:sostat.dsvo@gov.in">sostat.dsvo@gov.in</a> and <a href="mailto:sugarcontrol-fpd@gov.in">sugarcontrol-fpd@gov.in</a>. Non-receipt of the information will be viewed seriously and will attract penalty in the form of deduction of monthly domestic release quota of sugar.
- 5. Also, all sugar mills are directed to fill the information related to jute packaging in P-II form on NSWS portal by 10<sup>th</sup> January, 2024 positively.

Yours faithfully,

(Sangeet) Director (Sugar)

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## Copy to:

- Principal Secretaries (Sugar and Sugarcane Development)/Cooperation of sugar producing States.
- 2. Cane Commissioners of sugar producing States.
- 3. Jute Commissioner, Kolkata.
- 4. ISMA/NFSCF with the request to advise their member sugar mills for strict compliance.